

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WESTERN DIVISION  
(Both Cases)

SYNTHON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., )  
)  
Plaintiffs, )  
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v. )  
)  
ELI LILLY AND COMPANY and )  
ICOS CORPORATION, )  
)  
Defendant. )  
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ICOS CORPORATION, )  
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Plaintiffs, )  
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v. )  
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SYNTHON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., )  
)  
Defendant. )  
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5:10-CV-402-D

**ORDER**

On June 25, 2015, Eli Lilly and Company and ICOS Corporation's (collectively "Lilly") moved to reinstitute the stay in the above-captioned actions pending resolution of petitions for *Inter Partes* Review ("IPR") of the only asserted patents in this case: IPR2015-00561 concerning U.S. Patent No. 7,182,958 and IPR2015-00562 concerning U.S. Patent No. 6,821,975. See [D.E. 36]. For the reasons set forth in Lilly's supporting brief, a stay of these actions is warranted. Thus, the court grants the motion to stay.

In sum, Lilly's motion to stay [D.E. 36] is GRANTED, and all proceedings in this case are stayed pending resolution of IPR2015-00561 and IPR2015-00562. Synthon Pharmaceuticals, Inc.'s motion for a scheduling order [D.E. 39] is DENIED.

SO ORDERED. This 2 day of October 2015.

  
JAMES C. DEVER III  
Chief United States District Judge